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LEAGUE CONCERT A GRAND SUCCESS

Miss Esther Macomber Draws a Large Audience At St. Paul's Chapel Thursday Night.

Many Selections Are Given, Followed By a Social Hour and Ice Cream and Cake.

The Epworth League of St. Paul's Chapel again upheld its reputation for splendid entertainments last Thursday evening when it presented Miss Esther Macomber to an audience which packed the little church to the doors. Miss Macomber was at her best and with the assistance of the South City Kniekerbocker Quartette furnished an entertainment that has seldom been equalled in this city.

Like many artists who know their ability, Miss Macomber held her best selections till the last and closed the evening's entertainment with "The Little Tin Soldier," which was conceded by all to be the best number on the program. It was given with musical accompaniment and the vim with which the speaker gave the piece sent it ringing through the minds of those present for several hours later. This piece brought forth a tremendous encore and the speaker returned and gave a short selection about the wind.

While "The Little Tin Soldier" was conceded to be the best many others were worthy of special mention. "Martha's Strange Guest" gave the speaker a splendid opportunity to show her skill, while the story of the "Scarecrow" brought tears to the eyes of many of those present.

Miss Macomber is also a vocalist of some ability and gave a selection entitled "In May" with marked success. She was accompanied on the organ by Mrs. A. A. Burnham, of South City.

The Quartette was at a disadvantage owing to the absence of one of its members, but the selections furnished by the three members were greatly appreciated.

A delightful social hour followed the entertainment, during which time ice cream and cake were served.

PRESENTS PRESENTS TO YOUNG COUPLE

In the dining room of the Linden Hotel about thirty invited guests, the personal friends of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Yerrian, assembled for the purpose of making a presentation to the pair, recently united.

A rocking chair and carpet, fit to grace the residence of a prince, was the center of attraction, and on behalf of the contributors, Harry Edwards, in a few well chosen remarks, made the presentation speech, followed by Messrs. Adams, Yunker, Moore, Deering, Dorman and others.

Mr. Yerrian, in responding, thanked all those who had made it possible that such a handsome donation to his already well furnished home should be made. He thanked each and every one who had made the presentation possible and assured those present that at some future time it would not only be a pleasure but a delight to entertain them, with the assistance of Mrs. Yerrian, at their own home, where the latch string hangs on the outside for friends.

"Bob" is a man of sterling worth, true to the core, and his wife, to use "Bob's" expression, is "the sweetest lady in all the land." May they live long and prosper.

Wanted—Clamp kiln setters and burners. Apply at office of Alexander Brick and Terra Cotta Company, South San Francisco.

INTEREST GROWS IN TEACHERS' CONTEST

El Carmelo Hotel at Pacific Grove an Ideal Place to Spend Summer Vacation

Only a few weeks remain until the close of the teachers' contest and then the successful teachers will be off for a week's vacation at the splendid Hotel El Carmelo with its beautiful drives and many places of interest that attract many tourists to that neighborhood yearly.

Hotel El Carmelo is the tourist and family hotel of Pacific Grove and is a most restful home, where everything is first class at a moderate cost. It is in its charm of setting, its finish and appointment, its equipment and services, a miniature Del Monte. In common with Hotel Del Monte it is the property of the Pacific Improvement Company, and has been taken over by them from the former lessee and in their hands has undergone a marvelous transformation, until it is now the neatest, coziest and most comfortable tourist and family hotel on the coast. Nothing has been left undone that would contribute to the cheerful home-like comfort of the place. It has been recaipted throughout, the dining room and kitchen have been remodeled, baths added, single compartments converted into suites, and all its accessories and appointments brought up to date.

Remember the prize—A week's vacation at the El Carmelo Hotel, Pacific Grove, for the two most popular teachers in San Mateo county. Following is the standing of the teachers, Thursday evening:

FIRST TOWNSHIP

Etta Naumann—1519.
Winnie Lewis—537.
Marguerite Kauffmann 301.
Grace Lane.
Adele Bare.

Julia Leonard.

SECOND TOWNSHIP

Clara Abbott.
Agnes Gilligan.
Rose Meehan.

THIRD TOWNSHIP

Sallie Nelson—208.
FOURTH TOWNSHIP

Mabel Nichols.

S. P. McCrea.

Population Increased Over 1000

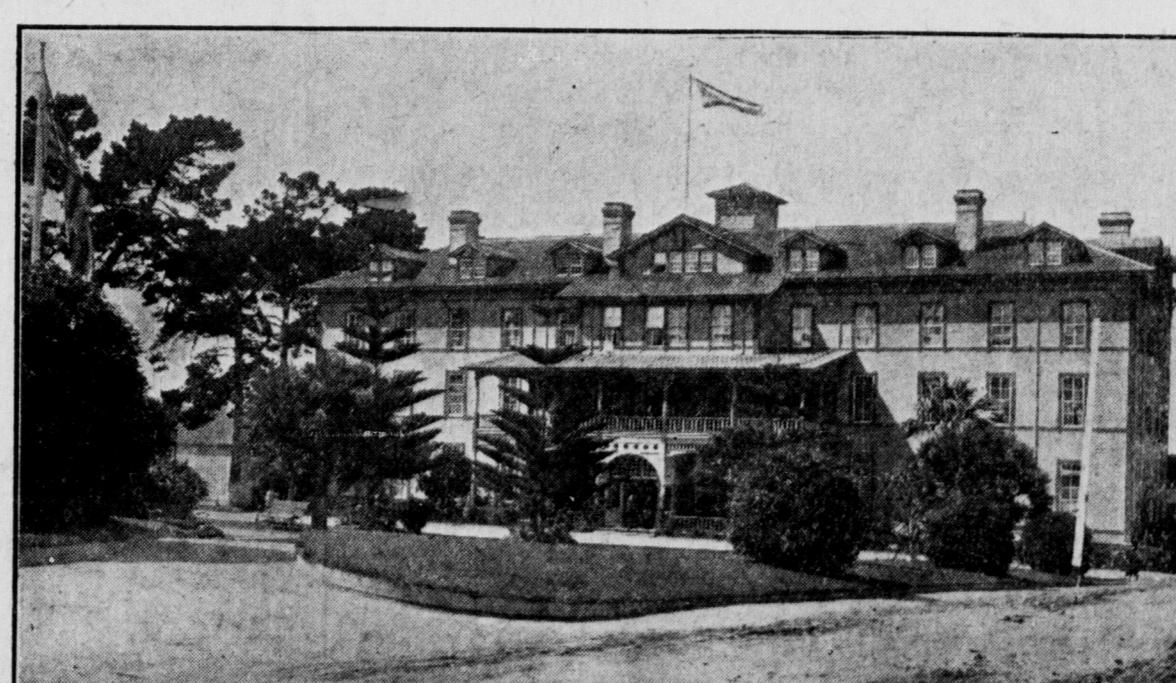
Mr. William Styen, school census marshal, has completed his report and finds the number of census children to be 1637.

Those of school age, between 5 and 17, number 1161, an increase of 199 over last year. The increase of the census children, however, was much greater in proportion. The count means that the increase in population is over one thousand in the past year.

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EL CARMELO HOTEL—Pacific Grove, Monterey County

Where the Two Most Popular Teachers will Spend Summer Vacation



Full particulars governing Contest and Coupon for voting on top page 7

WOMEN'S CLUB GIVES PICNIC

Ladies of San Bruno Park Invite Their Friends to Enjoyable Day at Crystal Springs.

The Women's Pioneer Club, of San Bruno gave a picnic at Crystal Springs, which was well attended by the members and their friends. The day was spent in gathering wild flowers and in games of all kinds in which all present took an active interest.

Gerald W. Orrick, an inmate of the Gardner Sanitarium at Belmont, stepped between the cars of the north bound passenger train last Monday and was ground to pieces beneath the wheels. The mangled remains were moved to Redwood where an inquest was held by Deputy Coroner Harry Styles.

The young man had been an inmate of the Sanitarium for the past six months suffering from a severe case of melancholia, and desire for self destruction. Last Monday he succeeded in escaping from his keeper and before he could be located had wandered to the depot.

As the 3:30 north bound train pulled out of the depot he was seen to throw himself beneath the wheels of the last coach and before the bystanders could do anything he was ground to pieces.

The young man was born in Oakland 51 years ago and has lived in that city since that time. The remains were shipped to Oakland and the funeral took place from the family residence in that city.

\$25 Reward

For information leading to the arrest and conviction of any person found stealing, moving or in any way molesting the stakes, lumber or property of any kind upon the tract known as Peck's lots at South City.

Signed PECK-GARRETT CO.

Three Die of Poisoning

Word was received in San Mateo yesterday of a distressing poisoning accident which befell the family of Albert Allen of Burlingame while visiting near Los Angeles. On Tuesday of last week they partook of canned tomatoes and shortly afterward mother, father and son were taken violently ill. Mrs. Allen died on the following day, and yesterday the 16-year-old son and father passed away. Mr. Allen resided near Burlingame and was engaged in business.

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FRATERNAL HALL ASSOCIATION,
By Harry E. Styles, Secretary.

HARRY EDWARDS, President.
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Mr. and Mrs. Rudolph Spreckels have decided to remain at San Mateo this summer and have made arrangements with the George Shreves to have their home. The Shreves, at present in San Francisco, will go to Santa Barbara shortly.—Leader.

Notice is hereby given that an option has been secured on a certain lot for the Fraternal Hall Association, and all shareholders are hereby requested and imperatively required to make necessary ten per cent deposits, so that sufficient funds may be on hand by June 1st.

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CELEBRATION NOW ASSURED

Delegates From Different Secret Orders Meet and Decide Upon Methods of Entertaining.

Committees Are Appointed and Everything Now Points to a Successful Fourth for South City.

The joint committees of the fraternal and social orders of South City met Wednesday evening and decided, street cars or no street cars, they will celebrate. Committees on program, music, advertising and finance were appointed, a member from each lodge being selected. The finance committee will get to work at once.

There will be a general committee meeting at the Jacobs store Sunday, May 19, at 2 P. M.

Badges bearing the inscription, "We Will, July 4, 1907. You Bet. South San Francisco", were distributed and all loyal citizens will be requested to wear them. The community as a whole, individually and collectively, is asked to help in every way to boost South City's first Fourth of July.

In the amusement line a tug of war, baseball game, foot races, vaulting, throwing heavy weight, Woodmen chopping race, boys' sack race, catching greased pig, pie-eating contest and other entertaining features will make up the program. A barbecue will add to the delight of the picnic lunch and the day's events will conclude with a grand ball.

The following comprise the committees who will have charge of the affair:

Finance Committee: Eagles, Patsy McCormick; Druids, George Wallace; Redmen, Mr. Swarthout; Woodmen, Pat Bowler; Butchers, Mr. Chalmers; Woodcraft, Mrs. Foley; Pocahontas, Miss H. Cohen; Druidesses, Mrs. Anderson; Board of Trade, E. W. Langenbach.

LABORER CAUGHT IN MACHINERY

Ferra Guiseppi, an Italian laborer working in the Pottery works, was caught in the machinery this morning and his left arm was badly mashed. So far the extent of his injuries have not been learned but it is believed the arm will have to be amputated.

Linden Park A Reality

The promised opening of Linden Park will take place this evening, (Saturday May 18). The pavilion has been completed and nothing has been overlooked to make the occasion one long to be remembered. There will be dancing all night, if you want.

Messrs. Moore & Yunker have made special arrangements for other amusements, refreshments, etc.

Everything is free and the public is cordially invited to attend the opening and to enjoy themselves.

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MAILS ARRIVE

From the North..... 6:45 a. m.
" " 12:03 p. m.
" " 4:05 p. m.
" South..... 12:39 p. m.
" " 7:19 p. m.

MAILS CLOSE

For the North..... 6:55 a. m. 12:09 p. m.
" " 5:24 p. m.
For the South..... 6:15 a. m.
E. E. CUNNINGHAM, P. M.

Railroad Time Table

NORTH
5:57 a. m.
7:19 a. m.
9:24 a. m.
12:39 p. m.
3:38 p. m.
5:54 p. m.
8:42 p. m., Sunday only

SOUTH
6:45 a. m.
9:41 a. m.
12:03 p. m.
4:05 p. m.
7:03 p. m.
8:48 p. m.

COUNTY OFFICIALS

Judge Superior Court..... G. H. Buck
Treasurer..... P. P. Chamberlain
Tax Collector..... C. L. McCracken
District Attorney..... J. J. Bullock
Assessor..... C. D. Hayward
County Clerk..... Joseph H. Nash
County Recorder..... John F. Johnson
Sheriff..... Robert Chatham
Auditor..... Henry Underhill
Superintendent of Schools..... Roy Cloud
Coroner and Public Adm. Dr. H. G. Plymire
Surveyor..... James B. Neuman

Officials—First Township

Supervisor..... Julius Elkerenkotter
Justice of the Peace..... A. McSweeney
Constable..... Bob Carroll
Postmaster..... E. E. Cunningham
School Trustees..... Tom Mason, Duray Smith

St. Paul's Methodist Episcopal Church
(Cor. Grand and Maple Aves., one block from Post Office.)

Regular Sunday services—Preaching at 11:00 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Sunday School classes for all ages at 10:00 a. m. Fpworth League of C. E. at 6:30 p. m.

Prayer meeting Wednesday at 8 p. m. The public is made cordially welcome at all our services.

"A home-like church."

ROBERT J. CRAIG, Pastor.

There is some talk among the Hibernians of South City in regard to placing a boycott on the Postoffice on account of its new coat of paint in A. P. A. colors.

Fancy Corset covers for 50c. W. C. Schneider.

Subscribers, Attention!

As special inducement to increase the subscription list of THE ENTERPRISE the management has decided to offer at an additional cost of \$1.00 the Sunset Magazine for one year, together with the "Road of a Thousand Wonders" and the Town and Country Journal. Any one wishing these papers with THE ENTERPRISE can obtain them by paying \$3.00 in advance. The above offer does not interfere with the teachers' contest and all those who pay one year in advance will be allowed 200 votes for the most popular teacher.

FOR SALE—Corner lot 50 by 100 feet with building containing four modern flats of five and six rooms and bath each; fine cemented basement. Centrally located. For price and terms inquire of E. E. CUNNINGHAM & Co., Postoffice Building. m 2 tf.

The Peck & Garrett Company have let the contract for the painting of the Post Office building, in which they are going to have their local offices. Two flags will float from the roof of the building, one of which will be the American flag and the other the emblem of the Peck & Garrett Company.

For Sale

A lodging house of 21 rooms, all newly furnished. (A five year's lease) for sale. Sickness cause of sale. Inquire of E. E. Cunningham & Co.

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COURT NOTES

Estate of R. I. Knapp, deceased. Hearing on return of sale of personal property continued to May 11.

Estate of Manuel Oliver, deceased. Demurrer of Amelia Oliver, executrix of last will and testament of Manuel Oliver, deceased, overruled, and executrix allowed five days in which to answer. Petition of Mrs. Oliver for \$50 per month for the support of herself and family granted.

Estate of William Dooling, deceased. Will admitted to probate and John Dooling granted letters testamentary.

The People vs. G. Millman. Sheriff directed to secure sixteen jurymen for May 14 to try said defendant on a felony charge.

Estate of A. M. Diggs, deceased. Hearing on return of sale of certain personal property continued to May 16.

Charles C. McDonald vs. C. Duthie. Demurrer of defendant overruled and defendant allowed ten days to answer.

Estate of David J. Mills, deceased. Final account of C. D. Hayward, administrator, allowed and settled and petition for distribution granted.

Tillie Larson vs. Knut Larson. Order to show cause continued to May 16.

Shrewsbury & Smith vs. Maloney. Hearing on motion of defendant for a change of venue continued to May 16.

Estate of Stephen Bildhauser, deceased. Order granting letters of administration to Anna Bildhauser and Irene Sherman on their filing a bond in the sum of \$100.

J. A. Bettencourt vs. A. D. Drumm. Order made giving judgment to plaintiff for the amount prayed for.

C. P. Cooley vs. Isabelle Black et al. Demurrer of defendant to second amended complaint of plaintiff and on motion of said defendant to strike out certain portions of said second amended complaint and on motion to compel plaintiff to separately state cause of action, fixed on this day, continued to May 16.

D. Gondalfa vs. G. Garbarino. Judgment given to plaintiff for \$100.

M. F. X. Kavanaugh, S. C. Nash and Michael Farrell, appraisers of the estate of Mathew Crow, deceased have filled their inventory and appraisement. The entire estate is appraised at \$32,550.50. The money in the hands of the executrix, Mary Crowe, consists of \$15,760, part payment of the sale of the Crow ranch and \$592.94 received from the sale of personal property, making a total of \$16,148.45. The half interest in the \$32500 mortgage by J. F. Parkinson to the Crow ranch is appraised at \$16,351.56.

George Batchelder has applied in the Superior Court for letters of administration upon the estate of his son, Richard N. Batchelder, who died at Dilhi, India, last January. The estate consists of five and a quarter acres of land at Fair Oaks, valued at \$2000 and bonds worth \$13,000. The total value of the estate does not exceed the sum of \$15,000. May 16th has been set for the hearing of the petition.

The case of John R. McDonald against the California Timber Company and George Dent will not be tried in San Francisco, the home of the corporation, according to a decision of the supreme court yesterday, owing to the non-residence of the defendant, George Dent. The suit is for damages and must be tried in San Mateo county.

Grace Episcopal Church

Sunday School..... 10:00 a. m.
Morning Prayer..... 11:15 a. m.
Rev. A. C. Dodd in charge.

FOR SALE—Nice modern residence on Grand avenue. This property is cheap. Must be sold soon.

E. E. Cunningham & Co. f16 tf

Rugs and Mattings—All grades—W. C. Schneider.

SUPERVISORS MEET IN REDWOOD CITY

Plans Are Adopted for New Court House and Architects Receive Their Award.

At the meeting of the Board of Supervisors on Monday last final action was taken in the matter of rebuilding the court house by adopting resolutions which awarded the sum of \$1 to Architect Glenn Allen of San Francisco and the adoption of the plans prepared by him for construction of the county official building. The second building prize of \$400 was awarded to W. D. Shea, and \$100 to Martins & Coffey. The resolutions were presented by District Attorney Bullock and adopted by the unanimous vote of the board.

Previous to the action of the board upon the resolution an examination of the saved material from the former building and a catalogue of the same was on motion of Eikenkotter, attached to the specifications for the new building.

Contractors presenting bids for the construction of the court house must file a bound amounting to 50 per cent of the contract price to protect the county from expenses for material and labor and 25 per cent to insure the prompt prosecution and completion of the work.

District attorney presented a form of notice to contractors, for publication, which was adopted, and an order made that the notice be published in the "Pacific Builder" of San Francisco and the "Mercury" of San Jose, in addition to the usual publications.

Chairman Coleman was authorized to enter into a contract with Architect Glenn Allen for his services during the construction of the court house at a compensation of two and one-half per cent of the contract price to be paid the contractor.

Clerk Nash was directed to compare all the copies of plans and specifications and make all corrections so that they shall be identical with the original blue prints.

District Attorney Bullock presented an ordinance granting to W. R. Battley, a franchise for laying water mains and pipes on, along or across county roads and maintaining the same, for the purpose of supplying the town of Half Moon Bay and vicinity with water, and a bond signed by W. G. McFarland and M. F. Brown for the insuring of the proper repairing of roads, was accepted and filed.

The district attorney presented a map of subdivision 5 of Burlingame which was filed and an accompanying resolution adopted.

Supervisor MacBain presented for filing the contract for the Middlefield road bridge across San Francisquito Creek.

The superintendent of the poor farm was directed to continue to inter bodies of deceased indigents in the burial plot at the farm as heretofore until further notice from the board.

The clerk was directed to instruct County Surveyor Neuman to inspect and report on bridges in the Alpine district of the third township, with a view to their improvement.

F. George applied to have curb line set at the corner of Heller and Chestnut streets and such order was passed.

The board adjourned to Monday, May 20th.

Dr. J. C. McGovern

DENTIST

OFFICE: South San Francisco
Kauffmann Building San Mateo Co.

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Residence and Shop — Baden Ave.
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Waterbacks Connected and Repaired

Where Do the Flies Go?

He is here again—the first house-fly of the season. He came sailing and buzzing in with as much assurance as if his winter vacation had not lasted more than forty-eight hours.

Now, where has the house-fly been in all of the peaceful weeks and months since he blessed your nerves with a cessation of his pestiferous attentions? He didn't perish or vanish from the earth, for you can easily tell that he is familiar with every spot he touches. He is full grown and full fledged. He was not produced yesterday. No stranger could possibly make himself so much at home as your house-fly visitor does as he disports himself with ethereal alacrity throughout your vicinage.

"The wind bloweth where it listeth, and thou hearest the sound thereof, but thou canst not tell whence it cometh or whither it goeth." So it is with the house-fly. We know when he is gone, but no one has ever uncovered the mystery of his retreat; we know that he will return, and we know when he does return, but it is given to even the angels in Heaven to know where he bestows himself between the period of his subsidence and his re-ascension.

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Grand Avenue, South San Francisco

Notice

All property owners having lots for sale in or near the business section of South City are hereby requested to submit their offers, together with price required, to Harry E. Styles, at his office in said town, not later than May 20, 1907.

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South San Francisco

San Mateo County

LOCAL HAPPENINGS TOLD IN BRIEF

Numerous Items of General Interest
Condensed in This Column to a Few Lines

\$1.50—Men's Fancy Wash Vests—W. C. Schneider.

\$2.50 Corduroy Pants this week \$1.25 at The Jacobs Co.

\$4.50 Iron Beds this week \$2.50 at The Jacobs Co.

James O'Keef, of Menlo Park, was here on business Sunday.

Alex. Welte went to Redwood City on business Tuesday.

Mrs. Smith was over from San Bruno Park Wednesday.

Miss Grace Graves made a business trip to San Francisco Wednesday.

Mrs. Carrie McIntyre was in Palo Alto Thursday visiting friends.

Agents for Hamilton-Carhartt's un-ion-made goods. The Jacobs Co.

Clarence Grable, of Hollister, made a hurried trip to South City Sunday.

Edward Prior, of the California Ink Co., San Francisco, was in this city last Monday.

Geo. E. Britton, principal of the South City School, was in Redwood Thursday evening.

H. Gaerdes and J. H. Bean visited Palo Alto last Sunday to go through the University.

Mrs. Ray Kent left for Agua Caliente Hot Springs Wednesday to spend a four weeks' vacation.

FOR SALE—25 feet fronting Grand avenue in heart of business district.

E. E. Cunningham & Co.

It is rumored that W. C. Schneider is about to lose one of his fair clerks some time in the near future.

Two new cottages are being erected on block 99, "Frenchtown"—one by Mr. Dieu and one by Mr. Daien.

FOR SALE—An up-to-date hotel of 28 rooms with liquor license. Hotel recently remodeled. Armour Hotel.

E. E. CUNNINGHAM & CO. t f

W. C. Schneider has been visiting at Point Arena during the last week. His friends are wondering what keeps him so long.

Land Agent W. J. Martin returned on Sunday from a week's vacation, during which time he visited the rich bonanza mines at Goldfield, Nevada.

Found—On the railroad near Colma, a bay horse with a blanket. Owner can have same by calling on E. Biggio, Colma, and paying expenses. M18-3t

The members of the Grace Guild will give a theatrical entertainment in a few weeks hence. The signs "Confusion" adorn every public place.

H. E. Shaver, head bookeeper for the Pottery works, has resigned his position as chief bookeeper there, and has accepted a position in Los Angeles.

Calvert Meade of San Francisco was in town Tuesday adjusting the loss on W. J. Martin's building on Grand Avenue, near the school house, insured in the Connecticut Fire Insurance Company.

The boys of the Freshmen English Class of S. M. U. H. will give the girls of their class a picnic to-day. The Freshmen will start early in the morning and go to the hills back of San Mateo for their outing.

The Senior Class of Sequoia Union High will give a dance Saturday evening, May 25. A good time is anticipated, as it will no doubt be the last dance given by the school this semester.

The lock boxes at the post office have been rearranged to enable box-holders to have access to the boxes when the post office is closed— evenings, Sundays and holidays. The number of lock boxes has been doubled.

The post office building displays the Peck & Garrett colors on its exterior in orange and black. The front is adorned with the cabalistic words: "Peck's Lots. \$300 and Up. No Interest, No Taxes." The interior has been renovated and repainted. The local office of Peck & Garrett is in the post office building.

SOUTH CITY.

The following poetry was contributed to the ENTERPRISE by Miss Josephine Russi, of Colma:

Baden it was called by name,
South City now by rising fame.
Very important it's sure to be,
That we all can plainly see.

Such progress there has been.
Look at its wise and energetic men
Working hard to beat

All others that might compete,
But its rival it cannot meet.

Of course you've been told
How its land is being sold.
It is worth its weight in gold.
Like wild-fire it is going,

While new buildings they are sowing.

If you are tired and need rest,
In South City you must invest.
That will soothe your wear and care.
Do so now while prospects are fair.

For chances in so doing will soon be rare.
Fancy not
That this is rot.

Take heed before it is too late
And make this town your dwelling place.

When to South City you do go
These facts will plainly show.
A guarantor I'm willing to be
For this city by the sea.

Let not your thoughts stray far away;
At home they are invited to stay.
Be not footed by witty play.

This is the town—
No other like it can be found.

With peace, beauty and shining sun,
This is the place to make the mon (ey).
Be not foolish and from it run,
For this is serious and not fun.

Look not elsewhere and around;

Be sensible and settle down,

For OURS is the town.

Give Them a "Square Deal."

The newspaper employees in Visalia are getting ready to present a play, the scenes of which are to take in the various departments of a newspaper office. The Register trusts the scene of carnage will not be omitted where the fellows get their just deserts who take the paper for three or four years without paying for it and then have the postmaster send it back marked "refused." Carve'em good and plenty. In real life we cannot do as we would like with such people, but it will be all right on the stage.—Tulare Register.

Bought a Steamer

The Ocean Shore Company has purchased the fine steamer, the F. A. Kilburn, which they intend to run between Half Moon Bay and the city as well as various points along the coast. The Kilburn is practically a new boat, having been built about three years. She is now plying between San Francisco and Portland and will be released June 1st when she will come under the control of the Ocean Shore.—Review

Latest Novelties in Men's Neglige and Golf Shirts. W. C. Schneider.

Teachers—Summer is coming, you want a week's outing. Remember the contest.

REAL ESTATE TIPS

Buy a lot to build on.

Build your own house.

Follow the line of travel.

Buy where you can live.

The best place to live is where you can earn a living.

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ISSUES NEW MAP OF CALIFORNIA

Promotion Committee Secures New Data Regarding Recent Developments of the State.

The new map of California, issued by The California Promotion Committee, is just off the press. It has been carried quite up to date and shows the many recent developments in railroads, steamship routes, pipe lines, etc. The past few years have witnessed rapid changes in the transportation facilities of the State, and it is a revelation to look over this map and note the many new lines of railroad, and the recently created towns of agricultural, mining and suburban districts. Three colors have been used in the printing, and the physical relief of the State is shown, in addition to the other topographical features. The size is 22x29 inches.

In addition to the map itself there are given a full complement of the latest and reliable statistics concerning the cities and their population, and mineral, horticultural and manufacturing resources of the State.

Single copies of this map are to be had, unmounted, in tubes, ready for mailing postpaid, at ten cents per copy. In lots of 100 the price of maps alone, with postage extra, is seven dollars each. They may be had also framed in redwood with glass (not crated) at \$1.00 each, or crated, ready for shipping, for \$1.75. Those maps are also put up in sets of five in a single crate, at \$1.25 apiece. The offices of The California Promotion Committee are in the California Building, Union Square, San Francisco.

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Prices of both labor and material reached exorbitant rates. Prices were actually prohibitive. No one thought of building save those driven by necessity.

As an investment the building of houses was not to be entertained. Under the conditions the needed capital could not be had for the rebuilding of San Francisco. The conditions, being strained and unnatural, could not continue.

The reaction has set in. The decline is not a sign of weakness, but of strength. It is a return to the normal, which invariably means health, growth and general prosperity.

THE best and safest line to-day for investment of money is in real estate. Money invested in land anywhere round the Bay of San Francisco is money well invested.

The people realize this fact and are buying land and lots all along the ocean shore from San Francisco to Santa Cruz and down the Peninsula from the City to San Jose.

Real estate offers the best security and will bring the highest rates of profit or interest, and to get the very best results one has only to keep in view certain fundamental facts. The first of all is to follow the line of travel.

The great future thoroughfare out of San Francisco will be over the line of the Bay Shore Cut-off Railroad and the heaviest travel over this line will be between Dumbarton Bridge and the City. Other things being equal real estate values will increase along this line as the city is approached. The second is to buy where you can locate and live; where the surroundings are sanitary and the climate healthful; where the tax rate is moderate and the avenues for earning a livelihood varied and extensive.

All these fundamentals are found right here in South City.

It is on the great thoroughfare. It is the nearest point to the City of San Francisco on the Bay Shore Cut-off Railroad. It has both grade and outlet for a complete sewerage system; a fine local water supply. It fronts salt water where malaria is unknown. Its tax rate is low. It is an industrial town with eight large industries in operation and a big smelter in course of construction. It is the ideal town for the merchant and mechanic alike. A place where the lot-owner can live, because it is a place where he can earn his living.

The times are a little dull here just

at present, but this dullness is merely temporary. With the opening of the Bay Shore Cut-off Railway in July and the resumption of street car traffic a new era will open in the history of this town. This is the time to buy land and lots. The man who sells now is making a big mistake.

Useful Cleaning-up Hints.

The Women's Club of Santa Clara is requesting all property owners and householders to put their premises in a hygienic and attractive condition. Many of the suggestions might well be applied to other towns—some of them to South City. The following hints will be embodied in the request to residents:

Property Owners—

Please clean weeds from sidewalks and streets.

Clear vacant lots.

Replace trees along curb.

Whitewash everything that could harbor fruit pests or disease germs.

Bury, burn or haul away tin cans, old bones, etc.

Keep barnyards clean.

Housewives—

Ask vegetable peddlers not to throw rubbish in street.

Plant anything that will brighten the neighborhood.

Cover outhouses and old fences with vines and climbing roses.

Trim up old stumps.

Pour coal oil in breeding places of mosquitos.

Keep manure hauled away, as it breeds flies, etc.

Storekeepers—

Keep display off sidewalks and covered so as to be free from street dust and germs.

Don't allow boxes and crates to accumulate, as they are not a good "ad."

Have garbage promptly removed.

Kindly keep sidewalk clean and attractive, especially on Saturday night, so that the town may present a cleanly appearance to Sunday visitors.

School Children—

Do not throw papers or fruit peelings in street.

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Notice to Creditors.

In the Superior Court of the County of San Mateo, State of California.

I N THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF DENNIS MURPHY, DECEASED.

Notice is hereby given by the undersigned executor of the last will and testament of Dennis Murphy, deceased, to the creditors of, and all persons owing him money, the sum due to him or his estate to exhibit them, with the necessary vouchers, within four (4) months after the first publication of this notice, made on the 18th day of May, 1907, to the said executor at the law office of ROSS & ROSS, First National Bank Building, Redwood City, California, the same being the place for the transaction of the business of said estate.

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HAYWOOD IN A CHEERFUL MOOD

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Accused Man Directs His Attorneys in the Selection of a Jury.

Boise, Idaho, May 17.—Out of respect for the memory of Edward Nugent, the first Judge of the Ada county District Court after Idaho became a State, the court over which he presided as one of the predecessors of Judge Fremont Wood, did not proceed with the preliminary stages of the trial of William D. Haywood, charged with the murder of former Governor Frank Steunenburg until 2 o'clock yesterday afternoon. Judge Nugent was the father of John F. Nugent, one of the counsel for Haywood. The funeral took place yesterday morning.

There is still every reason to hope that a jury will have been selected before court adjourns on Saturday afternoon. The State has exercised one of its peremptory challenges.

Clarence Darrow, who examined George F. Maw, announced that he had finished with the witness but would not pass him for cause until later. It is believed that the defense proposes to make some investigation as to alleged conversations which the talesman admitted with neighbors and relatives on the subject of the case against Haywood, Moyer and Pettibone. Maw is a powerfully built young fellow of 28, not afraid to express his opinions. He stated in reply to questions that he "makes up his mind and sticks to it whether it be in politics or religion."

It is a remarkable fact that the majority of the talesmen thus far examined have stated that they belong to no church. One of the most intelligent admitted that his parents went to church, but he did not know what church was, although he knew there was a church in the village.

With the opening of the peremptory challenge period begins a most interesting exhibit of skirmishing. The defense is provided with a type-written list containing a short account of the circumstances, surroundings and opinions, if any, of each talesman so far called. This list is frequently consulted and at times is handed to Haywood for his inspection.

Haywood himself has changed greatly in his demeanor within the last two days. At first he left his counsel severely alone and appeared to be taking little or no interest in the matter of the selection of a jury. Now, however, he scans each talesman closely and is almost continually in conference with his counsel. He watches the proceedings intently and whenever anything happens that brings out a laugh in the courtroom, Haywood joins in the merriment.

It has been evident since the hearing commenced that Judge Wood is determined to allow the defense every latitude both in the examination and selection of the jury. One of the present occupants of the box, and one of those passed by the State and the defense for cause, for instance, presented a perfectly good and legal excuse, but as this was not offered at first and the examination had taken place, the court asked counsel if they had any objection.

"We would be very sorry to lose a juror," said Darrow. The court promptly declined to excuse the talesman.

The belief is expressed that the representative men of labor union circles throughout the country fully realize that the State of Idaho proposes to give the men a fair trial. That this is the fact those who have watched the conduct of the case do not attempt to deny. Moderation is counseled and full confidence is expressed in the attitude of the people of Idaho toward the accused.

It behooves a prudent person to make trial of everything before arms.—Terence.

TO GET TAINTED MONEY

POOLROOM MEN TO BE PROSECUTED AND MONEY TO GO TO THE POOR.

New York, May 17.—District Attorney Jerome is preparing to prosecute gamblers and poolroom proprietors under a section of the Penal Code which up to now has practically been a dead-letter. He is being helped by Corporation Counsel Elliston. One of Mr. Jerome's assistants will be appointed a special corporation counsel to bring suits under the section in question. This section permits the Charities Commissioner to institute civil suits against everyone who wins or loses at play or betting by a sum of \$25 or more in one day.

Every such person must pay over not less than five times the amount of his gains or losses to the commissioner, and the money must go to the poor. There is no exception in favor of race-track betting. Jerome has in his possession a great mass of evidence collected at the time of the raids on poolrooms about six weeks ago, and he also has the backing of the Dowling law to compel gamblers to tell him who their customers are and the amounts of such customers' stakes. The sum involved is large, it is believed. It is even suggested that if the law is revived and rigorously enforced enough money can be collected to establish a new hospital. It is said that Jerome's determination to apply the section is owing to the unfavorable attitude of the Legislature toward the anti-betting bills drafted by him in the early season.

Finds Her Lost Son in the Grave.

Fresno, Cal., May 17.—The body of a youth buried a week ago in Mountain View Cemetery was disinterred yesterday by the County Coroner at the request of Mrs. George Kirkham, wife of a Selma rancher, who identified the remains as those of her son, who mysteriously disappeared from home last February. A few days ago a west side rancher found the boy's corpse floating down the San Joaquin river. An effort was made to identify the remains, which appeared to have been in the water several months, but without avail.

Yesterday Mrs. Kirkham noticed in a local paper an account of the finding of the body. Her fears became aroused and she determined to investigate. The grave was opened, and Mrs. Kirkham identified her 16-year-old boy by irregularities in the teeth and a peculiar indentation in the skull.

The boy had a considerable sum of money when he left home. He kept this in his sock. When found the body had the socks removed. The police are inclined to suspect murder.

Predicts Chinese Revolution.

Tokio, May 17.—Japan is considerably concerned about the recent attitude of the Chinese papers on dynastic matters. The Maini Chi Shimpu, an excellently informed journal, interprets the comments of these newspapers as foreshadowing the beginning of a struggle for the succession, the Dowager Empress of China, who is virtual ruler of the empire, being 77 years old. The civilized world, the Maini Chi Shimpu thinks, may expect an upheaval at no very distant date.

Wreck Aftermath Worries the S. P.

Los Angeles, May 17.—Harriman lieutenants are worried over the impending damage suits because of the Honda wreck that resulted in the death of thirty-two people on a Shriner special last Saturday.

Southern Pacific Claim Agents, who were early on the scene of the wreck and who used every endeavor to effect settlements on the spot with survivors, were not as successful as they hoped to be, and suits for damages that will aggregate \$2,000,000 are anticipated.

Approve Peace Treaty.

Managua, Nicaragua, May 17.—The Nicaraguan Congress, which is assembled here in extraordinary session, yesterday approved the treaty of peace arranged between Nicaragua and Salvador at Amapala.

CAN LIVE UNDER WATER 35 DAYS

CREWS OF SUBMARINES SHOW NO ILL EFFECT OF THE SUBMARINE TEST.

The Lake and Octopus Undergo Severe Trial of Submerged Endurance at Newport.

Newport, R. I., May 17.—With all hands well and contented, with a bountiful supply of fresh air, and with records of submergence broken, the submarines Octopus and Lake rose to the surface of Narragansett Bay at 4 o'clock yesterday afternoon, ending a test of twenty-four hours under water.

The Octopus rose first and the members of the naval trial board crowded about her as the conning tower hatch flew open. The members of the trial board at once went below to see what condition existed on board and also to test the air supply. Samples of air were bottled every two hours through the test for analysis by the board.

The Octopus blew out air only twice during the twenty-four hours she was at the bottom of the bay. It was computed that only one-fifth of her air supply was exhausted, and if these figures are correct they tend to show that the boat could remain submerged thirty-five days, provided the food and fuel supply were sufficient, however.

The Lake also stood the test well, although a leak was sprung in the superstructure. She pumped out twice, but what proportion of her air supply was used up could not be learned.

COULD HAVE BEEN QUEEN.

Monarch Sought Hand of Mrs. Potter Palmer, But She Declined.

Paris, May 17.—Mrs. Potter Palmer, if she liked, might have been Queen of Servia. According to a story current in society, a high official of the Servian court approached a member of the American colony who knows everybody official, and asked her if she knew a rich American woman, cultured and educated. The Servian official explained that the King wished to increase his popularity and improve his finances by making a brilliant match with some American woman.

The social diplomat whom the official consulted immediately mentioned Mrs. Palmer as the most suitable person, as she, by her knowledge of the world, her wealth, beauty and social distinction and personal charm would grace the throne of Servia and help to bring the King's turbulent subjects under her gentle sway. If Servia is not the greatest throne in Europe, nevertheless a Queen's crown was a tempting bauble to offer any woman. Mrs. Palmer, if she had accepted, would have been the first American woman to ascend a throne.

She peremptorily refused the offer, however, when it was diplomatically submitted to her. So the King of Servia is still Queenless.

Adriatic to Arrive.

New York, May 17.—The White Star Liner Adriatic, the latest development in shipbuilding, arrived in this port today. The Adriatic is the newest ship of the White Star Line and the largest and most complete ocean traveler afloat. Her length over all is 725 feet 9 inches; breadth, 75 feet 6 inches; depth, 50 feet; gross tonnage, 25,000; displacement 40,000 tons; accommodations for 8,000 passengers and a ship's crew of 350; 18 compartments and spaces for second cabin and steerage passengers that would have been luxurious a few years ago for first class passengers.

General Assembly Recess.

Springfield, Ill., May 17.—The General Assembly today took a recess until October 8. At that time action will be taken upon the proposed extension of the Chicago drainage canal as a part of the deep waterways between the lakes and the gulf.

WANTS CONVENTIONS

CHICAGO PLANNING TO BRING TWO NATIONAL POLITICAL CONVENTIONS THERE.

Chicago, May 17.—A movement to bring here the national conventions of both the Republican and Democratic parties has been projected by the Chicago Commercial Association. Through the convention committee of the association the plan will be presented to the national committees of both parties soon.

Charles A. Stevens, chairman of the convention committee of the association, has broached the subject to Roger Sullivan, member from Illinois of the Democratic National Committee, and to Colonel Frank O. Lowden of the Republican National Committee. It is not understood that the plans have advanced further than this. Stevens told the committee that the commercial association would guarantee ample funds to carry out both conventions. It is expected that Sullivan and Lowden will carry the proposition before their respective committees. Meanwhile the commercial association will proceed with further plans for bringing both gatherings to this city.

Sweet-Voiced Singer Passes Away.

New York, May 17.—Word has been received in this city of the death in Milan, Italy, of Arcandelo Rossi, the former buffo of the Metropolitan Opera House, who attempted suicide last week by cutting out his tongue. He had shown signs of insanity during last season at the Metropolitan, and this was attributed by some to the hardships he suffered during the earthquake in San Francisco. His colleagues believed, however, that the loss of his voice caused his mental breakdown. He was 42 years old and had sung for five seasons at the Metropolitan.

Terrapin Scale a Dangerous Pest.

Washington, May 17.—From every State east of the Mississippi river and from Missouri, Arkansas, Texas and the Province of Ontario, Canada, the terrapin scale, the enemy of the peach and other trees, has been reported to the Department of Agriculture. The bureau of entomology in a circular, has called attention to the terrapin scale, in consequence of its wide range of food plants, including both wild and cultivated trees, as a dangerous pest "which may be controlled but never eradicated."

Anti-Trust Law Smashes Prices.

Los Angeles, May 17.—Many trade restrictions in Southern California are to be removed next Thursday, when the Cartwright anti-trust law becomes operative. Competition will be free and prices will tumble in many lines. They already have gone down on lumber and some other commodities in anticipation of the law.

Coal Goes Up.

Los Angeles, May 17.—The scarcity of labor in the coal fields of New Mexico and Colorado, together with the excessive freight rates from the mines to Los Angeles, will result in an advance of at least \$1 per ton on coal after August 15. The announcement was made today by one of the largest wholesale dealers in the city.

SEVERE PUNISHMENT FOR BOY.

Teacher Forces Pupil to Sit With His Feet Above His Head.

Santa Rosa, Cal., May 17.—District Attorney Clarence F. Lead is investigating a matter reported to him regarding severe discipline in the Lincoln school here, of which C. L. Loynehan is the principal. George Pool, a lad who was forced to sit for some time with his feet in the air above his head and holding his arms tightly folded, has been confined to his home for several days as the result, it is alleged, of the posture in which the principal forced him to sit. He is said to be afflicted with a mild form of paralysis, the same coming, it is claimed, from the unusual strain on certain muscles brought into play by the position forced upon the boy.

The doctors attending the lad will not state definitely whether or not the condition of the boy is from the treatment meted out to him.

RUEF TESTIFIES BEFORE JURY

TELLS THE WHOLE STORY OF GRAFT TO THE GRAND JURY NOW IN SESSION.

Ruef Declares He Will Tell All He Knows About Corrupt Politics In San Francisco.

San Francisco, May 17.—At a late hour yesterday afternoon Abe Ruef, the fallen boss of this city, entered the Grand Jury's room to make reparation of which he spoke in his address to the court by a full confession of the felonies of the Schmitz administration.

Ruef's testimony delivers to the law men supreme in the social and the political life of California—men who have held their heads high; men so lofty in power and station, so strongly entrenched behind piles of money-bags, that they seemed exalted above the law.



ABRAHAM RUEF.

Ruef, lawyer-like, had all the points of his testimony clearly in his mind, and he recited his story with practically no questions or suggestions from the City Attorney.

Having resolved to make a clean breast of the whole business, Ruef shielded no one. To a man they had abandoned him.

He turned upon the millionaires who had deserted him and delivered every single one of them into the hands of District Attorney Langdon and Francis J. Heney.

He told in detail all about the purchase of the overhead trolley privilege, the political dealings with Herrin, including the purchase by Herrin of the San Francisco delegation to the Republican State convention at Santa Cruz, the Bay Cities water supply job, the corrupt relations between the administration and the gas company, and the whole history of his negotiations with the two rival telephone companies, besides many minor matters.

It is a conservative statement to say that never before did a Grand Jury hear a disclosure of political corruption so complete and stupefying as the story which Abe Ruef told them yesterday.

Ruef was a willing witness, he knew precisely the material information to give in order to fix the crime on each guilty millionaire and politician, and he told the story with fluency and impressiveness. His testimony, unless there is something very wrong with California, will put suits of stripes upon many men who are now in high places.

Yellow Fever on Gunboat.

San Diego, Cal., May 17.—It is reported by sailors that the gunboat Princeton is detained at Magdalena Bay in quarantine and is flying a yellow flag. It is said a case of yellow fever developed while the boat was in Central American waters, but the victim is recovering and the quarantine will be raised.

Farmers Replanting Grain.

Kishinev, Bessarabia, May 17.—The farmers in many localities in this vicinity are replanting their fields, the first sowing having been ruined by drought.

FRATERNAL ORDERS**F. O. E.**

South City Aerie, No. 1473, initiated three candidates at its last session. It was also decided to strengthen the hands of the Building Committee in connection with the Fraternal Hall Association by taking five hundred shares of stock in the corporation. The enthusiasm aroused when the Fourth of July Committee made their report was unbounded. Certain it is that the coming Fourth of July will be a red letter day with the various branches of fraternal orders in South City.

U. A. O. D.

White Eagle Circle, No. 56, United Ancient Order of Druids, installed its newly-elected officers Monday evening last for the ensuing term. Grand District Deputy Harry Edwards performed the ceremony and the following officers occupied their respective stations: Past Arch Druidess, Mamie McDonald; Arch Druidess, Miss Lillie Wight; First Bard, Mrs. G. Wight; Second Bard, Mrs. A. Coblyn; Secretary, Mrs. G. Luce; Treasurer, Harry Edwards; Supporters to Arch Druidess, G. Luce and Miss Hazel Dean; Supporters to First Bard, Mrs. J. Wallace and Mrs. Pene; Inside Guard, Miss L. McDonald; Outside Guard, Mrs. Case; Organist, Miss J. Sands; Physician, Dr. Mary Turnbull.

The retiring Past Arch Druidess, Mrs. G. Luce, was presented with a splendid emblem in recognition of services rendered. Mrs. Luce has been an active and enthusiastic member of the Circle from its inception and she was highly complimented by the District Deputy, who made the presentation on behalf of the Circle.

The Circle will be represented at the Grand Grove of California, to be held in Los Angeles in the month of June, by Mrs. Luce, Miss Mary McDonald and George Luce.

The Circle has fifteen applicants awaiting initiation and the new officers are determined to make this the banner Circle in San Mateo county.

Golden Eagle Grove, No. 173, U. A. O. D., elected for representatives to the Grand Grove, to be held at Los Angeles, Harry Edwards, Leo Pefferlee and Robert Yerrian.

The Butchers' Protective and Benevolent Association has joined hands with the various fraternal orders and appointed a committee for the purpose of making the Fourth of July celebration in South City a grand success.

On Harriman's Trail.

Washington, May 17.—Disclosure of Harriman's practices, and the recommendations of Attorneys Kellogg and Severance in the matter may hasten action by the Interstate Commerce Commission in the suit to force Harriman to answer questions he refused to answer during the last inquiry. All papers have been turned over to the Attorney General for him to take such action as he sees fit.

Railway Pays a \$20,000 Fine.

New York, May 17.—The Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul Railway Company, through Charles C. Keeler, its counsel, pleaded guilty in the United States Circuit Court yesterday to paying rebates on coffee shipments to the Woolson Spice Company of Toledo, Ohio. Judge Holt imposed a fine of \$20,000, which Mr. Keeler paid at once.

Suggest Disarmament of Colonies.

Paris, May 17.—A curious proposition suggesting the complete disarmament of the colonies belonging to all the powers, except for interior police purposes, was introduced by M. Rodier, Governor General of Cochin China, at a meeting today of the arbitration committee of Parliament.

Victim of Earthquake Dug Up.

Santa Cruz, Cal., May 17.—A crew of men engaged in making excavations at Hinckley gulch for the new Loma Prieta sawmill came across the dead body of Frank Jones, the young San Jose millwright who was among the thirteen unfortunate victims buried in the avalanche caused by the earthquake a year ago.

REDWOOD CITY NOTES IN BRIEF

C. H. Eckhart, former station agent here, visited old friends on Sunday. Charlie is now agent at Watsonville.

Mrs. Serfell of Kings City is at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Bement.

Mrs. M. A. Cloud sailed on Wednesday last from San Francisco, on the steamer Corona, for Aberdeen, Washington, where she will spend the summer with her son.

Dixon Bell was shot while arresting a strike-breaker in San Francisco. Dick is well known here.

Mrs. H. H. Hurd, who has been an inmate of the I. O. O. F. Home at Thermalito, Butte Co., for the past two years, died at that institution on Friday, the 10th.

Geo. C. Ross and son Hall were touring the coast in a fine auto last week.

Howard Kirtland of San Jose is a guest at the home of his uncle, Rev C. C. Kirtland.

E. B. Meering, on his way home from Texas, stopped off to call on his sister, Mrs. Thos. Hind.

Children's day was observed at the Baptist Church last Sunday. A pleasing program, consisting of songs and recitations by the children, was well carried out.

Eva Rockwell of the Oakland School department was in town Sunday.

E. J. Hogan and Mrs. Lizzie Kanein were quietly married at San Rafael on Tuesday, last week. They took their friends by surprise, as the happy event was not looked for so soon. Mr. and Mrs. Hogan will make their future home in this city.

Supt. Cloud visited Schools on the coast side the past week.

The Redwood City Band will give an open-air concert every Saturday evening on Main St. during the summer months. The first concert will be given this week.

Mr. and Mrs. L. P. Behrens, also Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Hughes are visitors at Los Angeles this week.

P. Towne and wife of Mayfield were guests last Sunday at the home of their son, Frank Towne.

Rev. C. C. Kirtland and Miss Alma Nobs attended the District Convention of Christian Endeavor held at Gilroy last Saturday.

A young son of Contractor Geo. Kreise had a miraculous escape from death last Tuesday. The little fellow started to cross A St. just as a fourhorse team came in from First St. The child was knocked down and rolled over, and the two wagons, which were chained together, passed over him as he lay lengthwise between the wheels. He escaped with a broken arm, and a few scalp wounds.

Members of the Baptist Church have asked permission from the Superior Court to sell their property on Heller St. to the California Baptist Association, so that they may receive financial aid from that body.

Suit to Recover Lost Stock

T. E. Jewell, through his attorney, Joseph J. Bullock, has commenced a suit in Superior Court against the West Shore Salt Company to recover 1050 shares of capital stock of the Company. Mr. Jewell alleges in his complaint that his brother, H. M. Jewell, of whose estate he is administrator, purchased the stock from the company in June 1903. He has made a diligent search for it and cannot find the certificates. He believes they are lost or destroyed. He asks that he be given judgment and that the old certificates be canceled and that duplicate certificate be issued to him.

I. and S. Bing Men's and Boys Spring Suits \$7.50. W. C. Schneider.

PECK'S ADDITION

Local headquarters in Post Office building. The first section of lots now on the market. For price list and terms apply to the undersigned. Team at the door and no trouble to show the property.

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Conditions Governing Teachers' Contest

The ENTERPRISE offers a week's vacation at the Hotel El Carmelo, Pacific Grove, to the two most popular teachers in San Mateo County. The teachers, however, must be selected from different townships and should two teachers in the same township receive the highest number of votes the second teacher must give way to the one standing highest in another township.

Each coupon is good for one vote for any one teacher in the county, provided it be sent to the ENTERPRISE within one week after the date printed upon the coupon. Each subscription to the ENTERPRISE, if paid one year in advance, entitles the subscriber to 200 votes. Any part of a year, three months and over, entitles the subscriber to votes in the same proportion.

The last coupon will appear in the issue of June 8th, and the contest will close on Thursday evening following.

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Brakeman Injured.

A brakeman on a Southern Pacific freight had his leg crushed below the knee at Menlo Park about 12 o'clock Sunday night. The train was switching and he fell between the cars, a wheel passing over his leg. The train backed into Palo Alto and physicians were called to attend the injured man, who was later taken to the Southern Pacific hospital in San Francisco.

Witness Faints.

In the Knapp case, which was on trial last week, the cross-examination by Attorney Chojniski was too much for the nerves of Mrs. George P. Schafer, one of the heirs of the estate. After answering several questions, the strain became too intense and she fainted, falling from the witness chair to the floor. Although all means at hand were used for her aid she did not recover consciousness for over two hours after she had been removed to the Del Monte hotel, and a physician summoned to her assistance. The doctor stated that the illness was caused by extreme nervousness, aggravated by mental strain.

The Southern Comedy Company appeared in Metropolitan Hall last Tuesday night before a large audience. There were several members in the company and all played their parts well. Several of the parts were original and greatly appreciated by the large crowd present. The company expects to have a return engagement some time in the near future.

HUMMEL TO SERVE JAIL TERM.

Noted Criminal Lawyer Loses His Fight for Freedom.

New York, May 17.—With the decision of Chief Justice Cullen of the Court of Appeals, in which he refused to grant Abraham H. Hummel a certificate of reasonable doubt as to the validity of his conviction for conspiracy in the Dodge-Morse divorce case, comes the passing of one of the noted figures among New York's criminal lawyers. Hummel was indicted two years and three months ago for conspiracy and subornation of perjury. His arrest and subsequent conviction was for a time the sensation of the day. His fight to escape jail has few equals in the criminal history of New York county. The decision now rendered dashes the last hope of the convicted man to escape serving a year in the penitentiary, the sentence imposed upon him.

Forgiveness.

Nothing is more moving to man than the spectacle of reconciliation. Our weaknesses are thus indemnified and are not too costly, being the price we pay for the hour of forgiveness, and the archangel, who has never felt anger, has reason to envy the man who subdues it. When thou forgivest, the man who has pierced thy heart stands to thee in the relation of the sea worm that perforates the shell of the mussel, which straightway closes the wound with a pearl.—Jean Paul Richter.

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JUNE NUMBER**SUNSET MAGAZINE**

Tells Story of Bay Shore Cut-off and What It Will Do for the Peninsula.

The Sunset Magazine for June will contain as a feature the story of the Bay Shore Cut-off. This will be of great interest to everyone in the peninsula territory. The article will be beautifully illustrated and will deal with this wonderfully-constructed, time-saving road in all its aspects and relations. The statements will be reliable, emanating from the highest authority, as Sunset is the official publication of the Southern Pacific Company.

No doubt this article anticipates the early inauguration of service on the Bay Shore Cut-off. It tells of the development of an achievement in construction that is to revolutionize the map in our locality, and of the probable results with relation to property values, the upbuilding of suburban towns and industrial centers. It will be a good thing for everyone interested to read and to send abroad to friends.

Sunset is doing a great work in spreading throughout the world good, reliable information regarding the State of California and the Pacific Coast.

Suit to Compromise.

The damage suit commenced some months ago by Alexander Welte against the Western Meat Company for \$10,000 has been compromised out of court and a dismissal of the pending suit was filed with the County Clerk. The suit was brought by defendant to recover damages for the loss of his young son who was killed by one of the company's cars. It is not known what sum Welte received. It is said, however, to be a substantial amount.

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The South San Francisco Land and Improvement Company planned South San Francisco as a manufacturing suburb of San Francisco. With that object in view they originally purchased 3500 acres of land in San Mateo county on the bay front five miles south of the City of San Francisco, and have developed their property so that to-day they possess perfected nearly every feature desired by manufacturers.

SOUTH SAN FRANCISCO

Is a railroad terminal; it is on the main line of the Southern Pacific Railroad and accessible to all railroads; has deep water communication; owns and operates for its industries, a railroad connecting with the Southern Pacific and the water front; has electric street car service from factory to town and direct to San Francisco; has an Electric Light and Power Company; owns an independent water works, and has an abundance of fresh water for factory and house; has wharves and docks; a perfect sewerage system; a bank; a town hall; and a population of 3000 people; an extensive and fine residence district, where workingmen may secure land at reasonable prices and on favorable terms, as homes for themselves and their families.

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Can be obtained from the South San Francisco Land and Improvement Company on most reasonable terms.

The American Smelting and Refining Company recently purchased from this Company 200 acres of land and are on the ground to-day arranging for the immediate construction of a plant costing upward of \$5,000,000. This means a vast increase in population, and a great augmentation for the benefit of all industries of every detail pertaining to rail and water communication.

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